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HELD FOR BIGAMY

DR. JAMES E. NEELY OF ELMO ARRESTED ON CHARGE.

BOND ARRANGED AT \$500

Henry County Wife Also Has Suit for Wife Abandonment and an Alimony Judgment Against Doctor.

Dr. James E. Neely of Elmo was arrested Saturday and brought to Maryville on a charge of bigamy, the information being issued by Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright on behalf of Mrs. Nora A. Neely of Calhoun, Henry County, Mo. He gave bond Saturday night for \$500 and returned to his home in Elmo Sunday morning.

Dr. Neely, being under the impression that a divorce had been granted to his wife in Henry county, was married in Maryville in June, 1912, to Miss Bess K. Williams, who was his office girl. He gave his age as 41, and she hers as 27.

In August, 1912, Dr. Neely was arrested on a charge of wife abandonment, the information being issued by his first wife in Henry county. He gave bond for \$300 and the case has not yet come up for trial in Henry county. In this proceeding the first Mrs. Neely heard that her husband had remarried, and she took up the matter with Prosecuting Attorney Wright of this county and had him issue the information charging him with bigamy.

The case will come up at the February term of circuit court. This is the first bigamy case that has been tried here for a long time and will attract considerable interest.

According to Dr. Neely's story he saw in a paper published in Henry county, Missouri, a notice that his wife had gained a divorce from him. Taking this for granted, he said he commenced to pay attentions to his office girl, Miss Williams, whom he had known for sometime, and whom he afterward married. Now it seems that his wife in Henry county did not get a divorce, but secured temporary alimony from the doctor in the sum of about \$3,000.

Dr. Neely came to Nodaway county about a year and a half ago and located at Conception Junction. The first of August, 1912, he moved from the Junction to Elmo, where he has been since. He has a good practice at that town and community.

Dr. Neely married his first wife about twenty years ago, and lived with her until two years ago, when the latter Mrs. Neely appeared on the scene. He has two grown sons, one 19 years old and the other 17. They are with their mother.

When the charge of wife abandonment was issued against Dr. Neely it was his theory that the decree was revoked, and he surmises that the fact that the service in the suit was not gotten upon him personally might have been the cause. All of the doctor's property was attached soon after Mrs. Neely started her suit for divorce and alimony. She was granted temporary alimony of \$3,000, so Dr. Neely heard from a friend in Henry county.

SOLD 100,000 CIGARS.

Hutton's Cigar Factory Received Order Last Week for That Number From the Smith Drug Co.

W. J. Hutton, proprietor of the Hutton cigar factory of this city, sold last week to the Smith Drug Co. of St. Joseph 100,000 cigars, being the Lord Lobster and the Hutton's Hand Made. With such an order it will keep the factory here running at full blast for some time and will mean the addition of more cigar makers and more money in Maryville.

Mr. Smith, president of the Smith Drug Co., told Mr. Hutton that his cigars are the best repeaters of any cigar he has handled in years.

Here From Kansas City.

Mrs. H. E. Young of Kansas City arrived Friday night on account of the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, who is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Cloud.

Visiting Sick Sister.

Mrs. Lafe Hagins went to Pickering Saturday to visit over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. I. N. Wray, who has been in poor health for some time.

Shipped Ten Car Loads.

A. O. Mason shipped ten car loads of cattle to Chicago Monday morning.

Latest Postcards
1 cent each at **Crane's**

DIED OF SPINAL MENINGITIS.

P. L. Murrin, Formerly of Maryville, Succumbed to That Disease Jan. 17, Near Bogata, Texas.

John M. Murrin of the Corwin-Murrin Clothing company returned Sunday morning from Bogata, Texas, where he was called by a telegram he received Saturday morning January 18, stating that his brother, P. L. Murrin, formerly of this city, had died there and would be buried that afternoon, and further stating that the body could not be shipped to Maryville. As no reason was given why the body could not be sent home, Mr. Murrin left at once to investigate the cause of his brother's death.

On arriving at Bogata, Mr. Murrin found that his brother had died of spinal meningitis and that the state law required that the body of a person dying with that disease should be buried two years before it could be removed to any other place, on account of the extreme contagious nature of the disease.

P. L. Murrin had been traveling for some time across the country by wagon for a St. Louis firm, carrying a full line of dry goods. On Wednesday evening, January 15, he stopped at a farm house several miles out of Bogata for the night, and complained of not feeling well. He arose the next morning with the family, and after breakfast told the man and his wife that he was feeling so badly that he believed he would return to bed if they did not care and not start out on his trip that day. He talked very little and seemed to want to be quiet. They asked him several times if he did not want to summon a physician, but he shook his head and said that he would be better soon. Friday morning he seemed so much worse that they called a physician from town, who arrived about thirty minutes before he died. The physician said that he had a very severe case of meningitis, and doubted if he could recover if he had had medical attention at once. He died without having given his name to the man in whose home he passed away, and his identity and family relationship was established by telegraphing.

The deceased was about 40 years of age and was the son of Owen Murrin of this city.

John Murrin speaks in the highest terms of the people of the Bogata community for the kindness and sympathy they extended him during the time he was there, disposing of his brother's business.

TO HAVE BIG TIME.

Many Events Will Be Held in Maryville During the Latter Part of April.

Maryville will have a big time during the latter part of April, as this will be the time for the rural community conference, the Northwest Teachers' association meeting, the declamatory contest, and the track meet, all events to be given under the direction of the Normal. The rural community conference will be held on Wednesday, April 23. The teachers' meeting and declamatory contest on Thursday and Friday, April 24 and 25, and the track meet on Saturday, April 26.

The events this year will be on a much bigger scale and promise to be attended by the biggest crowd in the city for some time.

DEATH AT PARNELL.

W. A. Brown Died Saturday Evening in Hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph—Funeral at Denver Tuesday.

W. A. Brown, an old resident of Parnell, died Saturday evening in hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph, where he was taken for the second time in November last.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at Denver Mo. Mr. Brown would have been 65 years old the 25th day of the coming March. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Arthur Cook of Sheridan; Mrs. Frank McKee of Fayette, Mo.; Mrs. Dr. Lynch, living in New Mexico; Mrs. Beauchamp and Charles and Will Brown, living in California.

Occupied Pulpit at Barnard.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Carmichael, living east of Maryville, went to Bolckow Saturday evening to spend a few days with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanna, the two ladies being sisters. Rev. Carmichael filled the Methodist church pulpit at Barnard Sunday for Rev. W. E. Royston, who is in Oklahoma recuperating from his recent severe illness of sciatic rheumatism.

Miss Getha Conrad of Parnell returned home Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

LESS THAN NORMAL STANDS TO LOSE

TEMPERATURE LAST YEAR BELOW GENERAL AVERAGE.

FEBRUARY SNOW GREAT

Weather Report For Year Has an Echo of the Hard Winter of 1911-12—Much Rainfall in May.

The annual meteorological summary for the year 1912 which was made out recently by Weather Observer J. R. Brink, shows that we had 29.05 inches of rain and had 52.5 inches of snow during the past year. We also had 230 clear days, 116 cloudy days, 20 partly cloudy days, and 73 days with precipitation. The lowest rainfall recorded was for January, when it was .15 and the highest was for May when it was 5.77 inches. The greatest snowfall was during February, when it totaled 39 inches, and in March, it was 20 inches. January had 1.5 inches of snow, and last December had one inch of snow.

The rainfall by the months for the past year follows:

January .15 of an inch; February 3.15 inches; March 2 inches; April 2.87 inches; May 5.77 inches; June 2.11 inches; July 1.17 inches; August 1.88 inches; September 4.35 inches; October 4.62 inches; November .58 of an inch; and December .50 of an inch.

The lowest temperature recorded during the past year, according to the summary, was on January 12, when it was 28 degrees below zero. The highest was on July 14, when it was 102 degrees.

The mean temperature by months follows: January, 9 degrees; February, 21.5; March, 26.5; April, 53; May, 67.1; June, 68.6; July, 79; August, 75.8; September, 64.4; October, 54.4; November, 42.4; December, 30.7. The mean or average temperature for the year was 49.4 degrees, which is .8 less than the general average or mean temperature.

The prevailing direction of the wind is south, at least so it was during the last year.

Tenant House Burned.

The tenant house on the farm of Mrs. Jeannette Carpenter, near Clearmont, occupied by Mr. Branson and his family, was burned to the ground Sunday. The house and contents were a total loss. Mr. Branson and his wife and little child were spending the day visiting and it was not known how the fire originated. The fire was not discovered by the neighbors until the residence was half burned.

Moving to Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey Kinney are moving their household goods this week to Acorn, Ark., where they will make their home. Mr. Kinney left several days ago and his family will join him there this week.

Returned From Iowa Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger returned Saturday night from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Des Moines and Waterloo, Ia.

Ed Hanna of Trenton, Ten., formerly of this place, was in the city Friday and Saturday visiting his sister, Mrs. Harry F. Whitney, and family.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., attended the basketball game at Cameron Saturday night between the Northwest Normals and the Wesleyan college teams.

Mrs. H. A. Norberry and son of Kansas City arrived Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Townsend and Mrs. E. T. Godsey.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—19,000. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow 6,000.
Hogs—52,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.60. Estimate tomorrow, 32,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—10,000. Market weak.
Hogs—8,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.32.
Sheep—10,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—1,200. Market weak.
Hogs—4,600. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.30.
Sheep—3,500. Market weak.

STANDS TO LOSE

COUNTY MAY BE OUT \$1,339.05 ROAD FUND.

ADVISES A JOINT SUIT

In Spite of Adverse Opinion of Attorney General, Mr. Craig Would Have Nodaway and Gentry Join Suit.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 25.—An investigation of the auditor's books at Jefferson City shows that there was due Nodaway county out of the automobile tax the following sums of money:

For the year 1911.....\$ 669.61
For the year 1912.....1,669.44

Total.....\$2,339.05

Paid to county in 1912 (Lee road).....\$1,000.00

Leaving a balance due Nodaway county.....1,339.05

Total.....\$2,339.05

This balance of \$1,339.05 due the county was not paid because no requisition was made previous to July 1st as the law requires.

The opinion of the attorney general is that this money now reverts to the general road fund of the state. If he is correct Nodaway county will secure but a small portion of it.

Senator Anderson Craig is of the opinion, from reading the statute, that this opinion may be wrong. As Gentry county has \$1,197.82 in the same condition, Senator Craig suggests that it might be well for the county courts of the two counties to join in a suit to test the matter.

Senator Craig says that this fund will be very much larger this year, but it is only available where permanent improvements are made, such as concrete culverts, grading and macadamized roads, cutting down hills, etc. During Mr. Craig's campaign for senatorship he discovered quite a strong sentiment for amending the automobile law, making the tax payable where the machine is owned. He thinks this cannot be done, because 90 per cent of the counties get very much more than they pay. St. Louis, St. Louis county and Jackson county pay half of the total.

Nodaway paid on 392 machines in 1912, \$1,560.09. Its receipts should have been \$1,669.44. Atchison paid on 272 machines \$1,068.00; Atchison received from the fund \$1,106.55. Gentry paid on 109 machines \$428.00; it should have received \$949.00.

Senator Craig says:

"You will see from the above table that Nodaway county was entitled to \$109.44 more than it paid. Atchison county, \$38.55, while Gentry should have had \$421.10 more. This plainly shows what we would run against in any attempt to change the law, as a majority of the counties have fewer machines than Gentry."

POLK TO VOTE AGAIN.

Another Election Will Be Held Soon, When Bond Issue of \$50,000 for Good Roads Will Be Voted On.

A meeting of the county board of agriculture was held Monday afternoon in County Superintendent Oakerson's office, which was attended by C. D. Bellows, F. C. Conrad, Henry Moore, W. O. Garrett, Lawrence Ogden, Prof. Oakerson and Paul Sisson. It was decided to hold another election some time soon in Polk township to vote on the proposition of issuing \$50,000 bonds for the purpose of good roads. Petitions will be circulated soon, requesting the court to set aside an election date. The election will probably be held in March.

At the election held Saturday, December 21, the bond issue lost only by a small vote, and it is thought that if it is re-submitted it will carry by a big vote.

Monroe township is to vote on a \$15,000 bond issue for good roads on Saturday, February 8.

To Build a New Residence.

A deal was closed Saturday whereby Thomas J. Parle traded his residence property on East Thompson street for two residence lots of O. L. Holmes, on West First street next to John Graham's property. Mr. Parle will build a new residence on these lots this spring.

Guest From Pattonsburg.

Miss Ruth Keplar of Pattonsburg, a former Normal student, arrived in Maryville Saturday night to be the guest of Misses Maude and Grace DeMotte, on West Seventh street.

NOISY CROWD WELCOMES THEM.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Clair Andrews, Married in Maryville Last Week, Had Warm Reception at Trenton.

Miss Fannie Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews of this city, and D. Clair Andrews of Trenton, who were married in Maryville last Thursday afternoon, received a warm reception upon their arrival at their home in Trenton on Thursday night.

The Trenton Daily Republican had the following in Friday's issue:

Over thirty friends were at the Rock Island station last night, when No. 12 pulled in to welcome Mr. and Mrs. D. Clair Andrews to the city. They were married yesterday. As they came from the train a storm of rice and ringing sleigh bells greeted them. The Farmers' store force had a horseless buggy waiting and the young couple were hustled into it and started on a journey through the business section by the young men pulling the vehicle. They were followed by a crowd of the groom's friends carrying bells and signal fuses.

There was no little noise—all were yelling and the Junior quartet brought up the rear of the procession singing "Oh, You Beautiful Doll," and as they dwelt upon "I Could Never Live Without You," Mrs. Andrews was left with the fellow clerks of her new husband while he was escorted to the Elks club where the crowd that had been augmented along the streets was welcomed. After the married man produced the cigars (he had plenty of them) and the quartet had favored the good natured revelers with some selections in the club rooms the spread on the long tables of the suit room at the Farmers' store was the finishing of a noisy and demonstrative welcome to the newly-weds.

Mr. Andrews has been in Trenton a little over a year, and during this period has been in the carpet department of the Farmers' store. He has made many friends in Trenton, and each of these friends extends a warm welcome to Mrs. Andrews and heartily congratulates both of them. The young couple met about six years ago when Mr. Andrews was employed in Maryville. They are now at home to their friends at 1420 Chestnut street, where they will reside with the groom's mother, Mrs. Anna Andrews.

DEATH OF REUBEN HARRIS.

Quitman's Oldest Resident Died Near Mound City Friday Evening.

Reuben Harris, the oldest resident of Quitman, died Friday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Watkins, near Mound City, after a long illness caused by paralysis. The funeral services were held at the Watkins home Sunday afternoon, and the body was brought to Quitman for burial Monday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Mr. Harris was born September 11, 1837, near Nashville, Tenn. He came to Missouri with his parents in his early boyhood days, and has lived near Quitman ever since. On March 6, 1857, he was married to Elizabeth Brown, a Kentuckian. To this union were born six children, two of whom are living, who are: Mrs. John Watkins of Mound City, and Mrs. Melinda Barnes of Kansas City. About fifteen years ago he joined the M. E. church, South, at Quitman, and had been a faithful member since.

Mr. Harris was in the civil war and fought in the battles of Lexington and Blue Hills under General Price. He had served as constable of Green township for about fourteen years, and performed his duty faithfully and tried to make everything peaceable. He was stricken with apoplexy March 9, 1912.

MANY TO BE HERE.

Over 100 Will Be in Maryville From the Outside Counties to Attend Short Course Week.

Many farmers from nearby counties are to be in Maryville during short course week, the second week in February. So far over 100 have promised to attend. With the attendance from Nodaway county and those from the outside counties in this Normal district the course promises to be the best ever given by the state agricultural college.

The Normal will provide two big lecture rooms for the course and will also provide a demonstrating and experiment room.

To Have New Church.

Conception Junction is to have a new Catholic church that will probably cost \$7,000. The church will be of brick and will be modern in every way. Work on it will probably be commenced in the early spring.

MAY USE OUR BAND

MISS NASH AND HER GIRLS MAY TAKE PART IN PARADE.

FOR VOTES FOR WOMEN

Correspondence Indicates Missouri Ladies Band Will Enter Suffragette Demonstration in Real earnest.

It is possible that the Missouri Ladies Military band of Maryville, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, its organizer and director, will have the honor of a place in the suffragette parade and demonstration to be given in Washington, D. C., on the afternoon of March 3, preceding the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson, on March 4.

A week ago the girls of the Maryville band were attracted by an article in the Kansas City Times, which told in details of the gathering that would be held in Washington on that day by the National Suffrage association, which will make the supreme effort in its votes for women campaign.

On being constantly urged by the girls of her band, Miss Nash sent a telegram to Mrs. Claudius N. Stone, wife of Congressman Stone of Illinois, who has charge of the work of organizing the state's delegations, and has already promised 48 of them. Mrs. Stone sent the telegram to Elizabeth I. Kent of Washington, chairman of the committee on bands, who has responded with the following letter which was received by Miss Nash Monday morning:

Dear Madam: As I am chairman of the committee on bands, Mrs. Stone has sent me your telegram. We should be delighted to have a ladies band in our parade, and I have heard of several to whom I have been writing.

Your band is the only one which professes an interest in suffrage, and is willing to come for expenses to Washington. I fear the railroad fare will be more than we can afford, but I am going to look up the special rates for the inauguration time, and if it is possible for us to pay them, and if I do not have an acceptance from a woman's band in Philadelphia, can wire you and see if we can make an arrangement.

Your message interests me very much. Thanking you for sending it. Sincerely yours,

ELIZABETH I. KENT,
Chairman Committee on Bands.
January 25.

NORMAL DEFEATED.

Wesleyan College at Cameron Won by a Score of 44 to 29.

Wesleyan 44, Normal 29, was the sad but true outcome of the basketball game Saturday night at Cameron. Saturday night's contest was the third for the locals in as many nights, and they were in no physical condition to cope with the rough style of the Methodists. Captain Vandersloot played the best game for the Normals. Vandersloot and Daise, forwards; Perrin, center; McClintock and Taylor, guards; Woodward and Quinn, substitutes.

Next Friday night Wesleyan will play a return game at the Normal gymnasium, and the locals expect to "do things" to them.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce

F. S. GRUNDY

as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

Adolph C. Koch of Harroid, S. D., the Heryford cattle man, is visiting in Maryville with his father, Dr. C. D. Koch.

Misses Marie and Bernice Russell, State Normal students, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McMaster of Hopkins visited in Maryville Friday and Saturday.

J. Arthur Wray and son, Walter Wray, went to St. Joseph Monday on business.

Miss Beatrice Smith of King City is visiting Miss Gertrude VanMeter of Barnard.

Miss Mamie Sullivan spent Saturday and Sunday in Clyde with her parents.

Mrs. Anna Stauble went to Pickering Saturday to visit Miss Pearl Craven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall of Hopkins were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Warnick of Guilford was in Maryville Saturday.

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February 14th.

MILLS OF THE GODS

March 1st.

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KINGS OF THE FOREST

March 10th.

KERRY GOW

March 14th.

Three reels. Produced in Ireland by the Kalem Co.

THE STOLEN SYMPHONY

March 21st.

Two reels, featuring Arthur Johnson.

Admission 10c.

Odd Greek Superstition.

The belief, illustrated in the ballad of The Bridge of Arta, that a human victim is required to insure the stability of a bridge or building survives in Greece today, J. A. Lawson says.

There is no murder now. It suffices to obtain, preferably from an enemy or an old person, a hair, nail paring, shred of clothing, old shoe or a thread or stick marked with the person's height or footprint measure, and bury these beneath the foundation stone. The victim dies within a year, but the building is safe.

Even a shadow will do. Mr. Lawson was himself dragged back by a friend in Santorini so that his shadow might not fall across such a fatal spot; and the mayor of Agrin told him that his four predecessors had all died from letting their shadows fall on foundation stones laid by them.

Gentle Reprimand.

As a young woman attired in a neat blue suit entered a street car a man his head buried in a newspaper, arose and offered his seat. With a curt nod the young woman accepted, and as soon as she had composed herself she became interested in the contents of her shopping bag. In spite of his apparent abstraction, the man with the newspaper watched her for a moment. Then, speaking hurriedly, he said:

"I beg your pardon, what is it—what did you say?"

The young woman lifted her eyes, and, seeing that she was addressed, answered coolly: "I said nothing, sir."

"Beg pardon, beg pardon," was the absent-minded answer. "I thought you said 'Thank you.'"—Milwaukee Free Press.

Obituary

The funeral services of Mrs. Margaret Beggs Todd, who died on Friday morning at 1:49 o'clock, at her home in Guilford, were held at the Southern Methodist church in Guilford on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. S. E. Hoover. Burial took place in the Graves cemetery. The pallbearers were all among the oldest settlers of Guilford and Washington township and were John W. Brittain, Joseph Skidmore, Jacob Breit, Millard Ellis, C. D. Hocker and Samuel Aldridge. The services were largely attended.

Margaret Beggs was born in Antrim county, Ireland, August 17, 1828 and was of Scotch-Irish ancestry. Her parents' names were John and Elizabeth Houston Beggs. At the age of 15 years she, with her parents, emigrated to America and settled in Dearborn county, Indiana. On May 25, 1845, she was united in marriage to Hugh Todd.

In the fall of 1856 she, with her husband, came to Missouri and located one-half mile south of Old Guilford, where she resided for many years. Afterward the family moved to the village nearby, where for 28 years she resided. In 1909 she moved to Guilford, where she resided until her death, which came on January 24, 1913. On August 23, 1898, she suffered the loss of her husband. To them were given seven children. One died in infancy, one daughter, Louisa, died in 1875, and James, who died January 31, 1907. The living children are Mrs. Ann Skidmore, Mrs. Sarah Carver and Lewis C. Todd of Guilford, and Mrs. Mary Floyd of Bolekow. There are seventeen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Of her father's family there remain to mourn her death one brother, William Beggs, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Whiteford and Mrs. Jane Todd of Guilford, and Mrs. Eliza Walton of Harveyville, Kan. Three brothers, John, Thomas and George Beggs, and one sister, Mrs. Agnes Craig, have preceded her.

On February 25, 1894, she was converted and united with the M. E. church, South, of Guilford, of which she remained a faithful member until death transferred her from the church militant to the church triumphant. Sister Todd reached the ripe old age of 84 years, 5 months and 7 days.

REV. S. E. HOOVER.

DRUGGIST RECOMMENDS

Vinol for Run-Down People.

If any one person should know the value of medicines it is the druggist who dispenses them, and from our experience we want to say if people in this vicinity only knew the value of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic (without oil) at this season of the year, we would not be able to supply the demand.

This is because Vinol is a combination of the two most world famed tonics, namely, the medicinal curative elements of cod's livers without the oil, and iron for the blood.

Vinol tones up the digestive organs, purifies and enriches the blood, promotes healthful sleep and a normal appetite.

Old people, delicate children, run-down, overworked and tired women should try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

To Meet Tuesday Evening.

The Eastern Star will hold their regular lodge meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic hall.

For Kansas City Guest.

Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., will entertain Monday evening and Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. S. S. McClure of Kansas City.

Meeting Place Changed.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, who was to have entertained the Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon, the meeting will be held at the Elks club.

Morning Euchre Party.

Mrs. George B. Baker gave an informal euchre party Monday morning complimentary to her niece, Miss Mary Campbell of Kansas City. Miss Campbell returned to her home Monday evening.

Back From Their Honeymoon.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McLeod returned Monday noon from their wedding trip of a month through points in Florida and Oklahoma, and they are at the home of Mrs. MacLeod's mother, Mrs. A. R. Perrin. They will be at home after February 15 in the flats of the M. E. church, South.

Students Had Social.

The students of the Normal and many of the faculty had a social in the library of the Normal building Saturday evening. There were 125 present, and after playing games, athletics were indulged in the boys' gymnasium. These students' socials are a regular feature of the school.

Somerset Party at Parnell.

Dr. and Mrs. Egbert Crowson of Parnell entertained at Somerset Friday night. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breit, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones. A nice luncheon was served.

Will Attend Wedding.

Mrs. Anthony Bluel and Mr. Joseph Kern went to Clyde Monday to attend the wedding on Tuesday morning of Miss Rosa Schwabach to Mr. Frowin Kern, which will take place Tuesday morning in the new Engelberg church at Conception. Mr. Kern is a brother of Joseph Kern, and a cousin of Mr. Bluel.

Entertained Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Egbert Crowson of Parnell entertained the Embroidery club Thursday afternoon with luncheon after the work hour. The members present were Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mrs. Everett Bailey, Mrs. S. B. Moody, Mrs. C. V. Roof, Mrs. John O'Day, Mrs. Ben Jones, Mrs. Fred Breit, Mrs. C. C. Evans, Mrs. E. S. Klaas, Mrs. W. N. Morgan, Mrs. Noble Klaas.

Played "The Noble Outcast."

The Ready Helpers, the class taught by Mrs. Thomas Cook in the Christian church Bible school at Barnard, gave a play Saturday night at the church entitled "The Noble Outcast," that was a complete success. The parts were taken as follows:

Colonel Lee.....Walter Hagan

Mrs. Lee.....Blanche Holliday

Frances Lee.....Bertha Blagg

Jack Worthington.....Glen Mahaffey

James Blackburn.....George Rasco

The Servant.....Jessie Goforth

Jerry Weston, the Outcast.....

.....Elmer Watson

Entertained the Country Club.

Mrs. Lillie Shelton, 205 West Second street, entertained several members of the Country club with a week-end house party. The members of the club are all friends and former neighbors of Mrs. Shelton, when she resided on her farm, west of Maryville. A delightful evening was spent in a social way and a luncheon was served. The guests attended services at the First M. E. church Sunday morning with their hostess. They were Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mrs. J. C. White, Mrs. W. A. White, Mrs. J. J. Knabb and Miss Clydell White. The party at dinner Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb and Miss Clydell White.

Their 13th Wedding Anniversary.

About thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGrew, living six miles west of Barnard, gathered at their home Friday, with no invitation whatever from their host and hostess, and brought every sort of good thing to eat, and about 12:30 o'clock spread a regular feast in celebration of Mr. and Mrs. McGrew's wedding anniversary.

Robinson's Mammoth Poland-Chinas At Auction Sale

Maryville, Missouri,
Wednesday, January 29, 1913

At Gray's Sale Pavilion.

**Fifty Bred Sows and Gilts, Two tried Boars, Twenty
pigs of fall of 1912 farrow.**

These sows and gilts are the big all over kind, and 16 of them are daughters and granddaughters of Pawnee Pete, the 1,000 pound boar I exhibited at the Maryville street fair last fall. Many others carry his blood. The fall pigs nearly all carry his blood lines. Sows are in fine breeding condition, and most of them bred for early litters. Catalogue now ready.

Remember the date--Wednesday, Jan. 29

F. P. ROBINSON

R. P. Hosmer,
Auctioneer.

Maryville,
Missouri.

The surprise was as complete as could have been desired and everybody had a most enjoyable time all afternoon playing various games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Goff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nic Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Brint McGrew and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fannan and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Goff, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Goff and Miss Rena Goff.

Celebrated Golden Wedding.

Miss Margaret Tobin of Burlington Junction was in Maryville Monday morning on her way to her school work in the Benton high school of St. Joseph, having spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tobin, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary that day. Mr. and Mrs. Tobin were married at Callon, County Kilkenny, Ireland, and came to Nodaway county twenty-eight years ago and settled on the farm they now occupy.

Reception for Mrs. Lawrence.

The reception in the parlors of the First Christian church Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City by the C. W. B. M. and the Young Ladies' Mission Circle was largely attended. The ladies in the receiving line were Mrs. James B. Robinson, who presented Mrs. Lawrence; Mrs. Claud J. Miller, Mrs. Henry Westfall, president of the C. W. B. M., and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, president of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle. After the arrival of the guests a program was given. Mrs. Henry Westfall introduced Mrs. Lawrence after the musical program, and the ladies of both societies were inspired to renewed effort by the earnest words of the wife of their former pastor. She urged them to be more earnest and consecrated in their work, and showed them that their lives were on a much higher plane while thus engaged than anything else that could employ their time, either socially or intellectually. The musical numbers consisted of two songs, "Little one A-Crying," by Speaks, and "Thy Deep Blue Eyes, Sweet Violets," by San Souci, by Mrs. F. P. Robinson; also Miss Marie Reullard sang "A June Morning" and "I Once Had a Sweet Little Doll, Dear," by Nevin, and two numbers by Mrs. Harry Todd, "Love in Spring Time," by Arditi, and "Japanese Love Song," by Thomas. After the program a luncheon of nut bread sandwiches, cake and coffee was served by Mrs. G. L. Wil-

fley, Mrs. W. W. Glass, Mrs. R. C. Benight and Mrs. B. E. Condon, who were assisted by Mrs. John D. Richey, Mrs. George P. Wright, Mrs. Frank L. Garrett, Mrs. Newton Hagins and Mrs. George Flemming.

James Dougan of Clyde, who has been critically ill for some time, was somewhat improved Saturday.

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PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN.Time 101. In Five Minutes Gas, Sour-
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Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes such misery vanish in five minutes.

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Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Advertisement.

Visitor From St. Paul.

Mrs. M. M. Shuffelbarger of St. Paul, Minn., formerly of Maryville is visiting her relatives at Ravenwood.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to \$1.00 per day.

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ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, WE
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Towel's Top Syrup, gallon cans, 63c; half gallon cans, 33c; quart cans 18c. Sugar Cured Picnic Hams (only a few), per lb., 12c. Cuddey's Finest Sugar Cured Regular Hams, 10 to 12 lbs. per lb., 15c; cut in halves, per lb., 15c. 50 lbs Cabbage for 50c. No. 1 Apples, bushel, 75c. No. 1 Red Onions, bushel, 65c. Fine Lettuce, bunch, 5c. Pure Rock Candy, worth 25c lb., 15c. 2 dozen Bananas for 25c. Peck California Navel Oranges, 50c; gallon for 25c. 500 lbs new Brazil Nuts, B., 10c. Fresh Shredded Coconut, 2 lbs 35c; 3 lbs for 50c. Quart cans Michigan Spiced Pickled Peaches for 20c. "Rose Dale," our finest Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, in 50 cent syrup, goods worth 25c to 30c, per can, 17c; 3 for 50c; dozen for \$1.90; case for \$8.75. Same quality, same brand, crushed in juice, can, 16c; 3 cans for 45c; dozen cans for \$1.75; case for \$8.40. We have 200 dozen of these and will sell all you wish.

New 1913 Packed Salt Fish and Cod. 5-lb pails (net weight) Lake Fish 65c. 10-lb pails Lake Fish for 75c. 20-lb pails Lake Fish for \$1.30. Holland Herring, genuine Milchner's, per keg 85c. 40 dozen pkgs 10c White Rolled Oats, 2 for 15c; 4 for 25c. 15c pkgs Mother's Cream of Wheat, 2 for 25c; 4 for 45c. 10c pkgs Corn Flakes, 10c, or 3 for 25c. Spring Chickens, frying size, lb., 15c. * Bran and Shorts on track at * Burlington depot, at 10th week. * 430 sacks best quality, 100 lbs net * weight in each sack. * Bran, per sack, \$1.00. * Shorts, per sack, \$1.10.

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109 W. 3rd St.
"Just a step past Main."SEEK REDEMPTION
OF WHITE SLAVESJohn D. Rockefeller, Jr., Explains
Purposes of Bureau.

EXPERT STUDY OF PROBLEM.

George J. Kneeland, Who Directed
Chicago Vice Inquiry, and Abraham
Flexner, Medical Examiner, Preparing
Reports.

New York, Jan. 27.—Among the foremost men of the country who have given serious and critical consideration of the social evil with a view toward a humane and scientific abatement is John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Ever since he sat as foreman of the grand jury in New York about two years ago Mr. Rockefeller has been keenly interested in discovering a sensible plan for curtailing the white slave traffic. He was largely instrumental, both financially and personally, in the organization of the bureau of social hygiene, started with the deep and earnest purpose of thoroughly investigating the present conditions of the social evil and of eradicating them in so far as possible. Mr. Rockefeller now makes public the following interesting and important statement as to the origin, work and plans of the bureau:

"The bureau of social hygiene came into existence about two years ago as a result of the work of the special grand jury appointed to investigate the white slave traffic in New York city, which served during the first half of the year 1910. One of the recommendations made by it in the presentment handed up at the termination of its labors was that a public commission be appointed to study the social evil. The foreman of that body subsequently gave careful consideration of the character of the work which might properly be done by such a commission and the limitations under which it would operate.

"So the conviction grew that in order to make a real and lasting improvement in conditions a permanent organization should be created, the continuation of which would not be dependent upon a temporary wave of reform nor upon the life of any man or group of men, but which would go on, generation after generation, continuously making warfare against the forces of evil.

Members of the Bureau.

"Therefore, as the initial step, in the winter of 1911 the bureau of social hygiene was formed. Its present members are Miss Katherine Bement Davis, superintendent of New York State Reformatory for Women at Bedford Hills, N. Y.; Paul M. Warburg of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.; Starr J. Murphy of the New York bar and John D. Rockefeller, Jr. As the work develops new members may be added.

"One of the first things undertaken by the bureau was the establishment at Bedford Hills, adjacent to the reformatory, of a laboratory of social hygiene under Miss Davis' direction. In this laboratory it is proposed to study from the physical, mental, social and moral side each person committed to the reformatory.

"Arrangements were made, therefore, in the early part of last winter to secure the services of George J. Kneeland, who had directed the Chicago vice commission investigation. Since that time Mr. Kneeland, with a corps of assistants, has been making a thorough and comprehensive survey of the conditions of vice in New York city.

"At the same time the bureau was fortunate in securing the services of Abraham Flexner, whose reports on the medical schools in this country and in Europe are so well known, to study the social evil and the various methods of dealing with it in the leading cities of Europe.

"Based upon all of these studies, which will probably be published by December of this year, it is the hope of the bureau that there may be devised a practical plan for dealing with the social evil in New York city, a plan which public opinion can be brought to support."

THREE FIREMEN KILLED

Elks' Building at East St. Louis De-
stroyed by Fire.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Three firemen perished in a fire which destroyed the Elks' building in East St. Louis.

The dead: Lieutenant John Connors, Fred Ford, pipeman; Joe Cornies, pipeman.

The men were the first to enter the burning building and a moment after they had carried a line of hose across the threshold the first floor collapsed, dropping them into the basement.

Lights Cigarette and Dies.

Hattonville, Okla., Jan. 27.—A 3c fire to smoke a cigarette led to the death of Clarence Moss. After lighting the cigarette in a grocery, he threw the match down near a gasoline tank. An explosion took place and Moss was burned so seriously that he died a few hours later.

Bomb Explodes in Boy's Hands.

New York, Jan. 27.—A bomb exploded while in possession of a twelve-year-old boy in a street in the east side. It tore off one of the child's hands, stunned him, smashed scores of windows and precipitated a panic in which one man was trampled under foot and injured.

NEW TURK LEADERS.

Enver Bay and Mahmud
Shefket Pasha, Who Now
Control Constantinople.SEVEN SCOUTS SLAIN
IN FIGHT WITH MOROSGeneral Pershing Reports Battle
at Taglitai, Mindanao

Manila, Jan. 27.—A wireless dispatch from Brigadier General John J. Pershing, commanding the Department of Mindanao, gives details of an engagement at Taglitai between Moros and detachments of Philippine scouts and the constabulary.

Captain Patrick McNally and six enlisted men of the scouts were killed. Lieutenant William Townsend of the scouts and Lieutenants Gochrun and Whitney of the constabulary and nineteen enlisted men were wounded. The wounds of both Townsend and Gochrun are serious.

GEN. SICKLES FACES ARREST

Must Pay Monument Fund Shortage
or Go to Jail.

New York, Jan. 27.—Sheriff Harburger said that he would execute the order for General Daniel E. Sickles' arrest today unless the money for which he has failed to account, is charged, as chairman of the New York monuments commission, is paid before the sheriff's deputies reach the Sickles home.

The sheriff believed, however, that friends of General Sickles would furnish half and that the alternative of placing the old soldier in Ludlow jail would not be enforced.

A movement to raise by subscription the amount of the general's alleged indebtedness and relieve the aged civil war veteran from all possibility of going to jail was started by William Schmer. Mr. Schmer initiated the fund with a subscription of \$100, to which Sheriff Harburger added an equal amount.

Gunboat Wheeling Reaches Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, Jan. 27.—The United States gunboat Wheeling, which was ordered to Vera Cruz by the American government because of reports of alarming conditions in this section, arrived here from Tampa. Official visits will be exchanged today, but it is certain that the reception of the Americans will be cold, as Mexicans are not particularly pleased at the visit of an American warship. At present the situation in and around Vera Cruz is quiet.

Body of Sea Fighter Laid to Rest.

Annapolis, Jan. 27.—With simple, but impressive ceremonies the body of John Paul Jones, first admiral of the American navy, was placed in its final resting place in the new crypt under the naval academy chapel. Secretary of the Navy Meyer, French Ambassador Jusserand and Governor Goldsborough were among those present.

Siberian Wolves Win Race.

Nome, Alaska, Jan. 27.—The Solomon derby for dog teams from Nome to Solomon and return, sixty-five miles over the snow trail, was won by John Johnson, driving a team of Siberian wolves, in six hours and one and one-half minutes. Oliver Blanchford, driving a team of Missouri bird hounds, was second.

PREPARING FOR
EXTRA SESSIONCongressional Committees Rap-
idly Pushing Work.

SOON TO WRITE TARIFF BILLS

Hearings by Committee Come to an
End This Week—Philippine and Cur-
rency Problems on Program—Fight
on Appointments Ripe.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Although the scope of the legislation to be taken up at the approaching extra session of congress has not yet been outlined, congressional committees rapidly are passing their preliminary work to a point where recommendations can be made to President elect Wilson and plans laid before him for the early work of his administration. Work on tariff bills soon will be started, the hearings reaching an end this week.

The money trust end of the house banking and currency committee already is working on a report, while the currency branch of the same committee will push its investigation this week into other branches of the currency question in the effort to secure comprehensive suggestions for currency reform.

Two Pressing Questions.

Senate and house leaders do not know what legislation, if any, in addition to the work of tariff revision will be taken up at the extra session. Several of those who have talked with Governor Wilson express the confident belief that the currency question and the question of liberating the Philippines will be included in the new president's scheme of action for his first congressional session.

It is the general opinion in Democratic circles in Washington that President Wilson will at least not "foreclose" congress against acting on everything but the tariff in the special session.

An effort is under way by some Democratic senators to postpone action on currency reform until the next regular session and it is expected that a movement will be promoted to secure an extension of the present Aldrich-Vreeland emergency currency law for at least a year, so that an emergency measure still will be at hand in case of industrial or financial disturbances.

The full extent of the fight between the Republican and Democratic factions in the senate over President Taft's appointments is expected to develop this week.

Tariff Hearings Near.

The tariff hearings covering the fourteen schedules of the present law along with the free list and miscellaneous articles and general administrative provisions will come to a close with the end of this week. The wool schedule, perhaps the most formidable of all, from the tariff makers' standpoint, was taken up today with prospects for a lively session and plenty of arguments from wool growers, manufacturers, importers and clothiers.

The National Association of Growers and Manufacturers is expected to appear in force to fight for retention of the present tariff.

The importance of the schedule is shown by the average of 60 per cent ad valorem as a barrier for protection of the big woolen industry of this country.

NATIONAL HEALTH BUREAU

Medical Trust Idea Refuted by Presi-
dent Elect Wilson.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 27.—President elect Wilson addressed a private gathering of prominent social workers at the home of Mrs. Caroline B. Alexander, where he and his family were guests. In a statement given out by Mrs. Alexander, setting forth Governor Wilson's remarks, he is quoted as declaring that in forwarding the movement for a national bureau of health it was desired to remove the impression that the government expected to set up a "medical trust."

The governor is reported as having said that there was no intention to put any school of medicine in charge of national health projects, but that all schools of medicine should work in harmony on the question of sanitation, which he considered most important.

Several speeches were made embracing immigration, child labor, prison contract labor, workmen's compensation and industrial relations.

Railroads Willing to Arbitrate.

New York, Jan. 27.—Reiteration of their willingness to submit to arbitration the demands of their locomotive firemen for increased wages and better working conditions is contained in a statement issued on behalf of fifty-four eastern railroads. The 30,000 members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen employed by these roads are taking a strike vote.

Julia Marlowe Taken Ill.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Miss Julia Marlowe, who is playing with E. H. Sothern in Shakespearean repertory, was stricken with ptomaine poisoning, but, although ill, fulfilled her engagement in this city. Physicians insisted that she rest until fully recovered. An understudy will play her parts temporarily.

AGAIN

Bess Scott and Glenn Goff

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CAPITAL : : : \$100,000.00
SURPLUS : : : \$22,000.00

Made an Assignment.

W. B. Finn, owner of the jewelry store and optical stock on South Main street, made an assignment Saturday, with F. P. Robinson as trustee. The property and stock of goods will be sold for the benefit of creditors.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.—Advertisement.

Being Held for Investigation.

Sheriff Ed Wallace brought a tramp to the jail Monday and will hold the man for a few days for investigation. He picked him up in Clearmont.

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winners for this fall and winter. Price \$2.25 and \$2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON.

One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

FOR SALE

Property at 1222 East Third street, consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and woodshed, nice garden spot and fruit trees. The estate of Henry Myers.
ED MYERS, Administrator.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm I will sell at my residence 6 miles northwest of Maryville and 2 miles east of Wilcox.

Monday, February 3, 1913

4 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 team of mares, coming 4 years old, will weigh about 1400 lbs. each. These mares are well broke and perfectly gentle. 1 coming 6-year-old family mare, with foal. This mare is absolutely safe for anyone to drive. 1 coming 2-year-old trotting bred colt.

9 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 milch cows, 1 fresh cow with calf by side, 1 to be fresh February 15, and 2 to be fresh soon. 2 coming 2-year-old heifers, will be fresh May 1st. 2 yearling steers, and 1 yearling heifer.

25 HEAD OF HOGS—3 old sows, bred and safe in pig. 22 fall shoats. These hogs are all healthy and in good condition.

FEED—About 200 bu. of good corn, 300 bu. of oats, about 12 or 14 tons of hay in barn and in stack. Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

1 wagon with wood and also low iron wheels, 1 cultivator, 1 Carter wire fence machine, 1 hog rack, about 175 Leghorn hens.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time with a bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Lunch by Wilcox Rebekah lodge.
R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
J. D. Richey, Clerk.

W. R. Hughes

WHY WOMEN SUFFER.

Many Maryville Women Are Learning the Cause.

Women often suffer, not knowing the cause.

Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, irregular urinary passages, weakness, languor—

Each a torture of itself.

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Mrs. Mary Larrabee, 1203 East Third street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I had pains through my hips and back and was often dizzy and tired. After I used a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I found relief and my health improved. This remedy has my highest endorsement."

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(Advertisement.)

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Restore Faded and Gray Hair to Natural Color—Dandruff Quickly Removed.

There is nothing new about the idea of using Sage for restoring the color of the hair. Our grandmothers kept their hair dark, glossy and abundant by the use of a simple "Sage Tea." Whenever their hair fell out or took on a dull, faded or streaked appearance, they made a brew of Sage leaves, and applied it to their hair with wonderfully beneficial effect.

Nowadays we don't have to resort to the old-time tiresome method of gathering the herbs and making the tea. This is done by skillful chemists better than we could do it ourselves; and all we have to do is to call for the ready-made product, Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, containing Sage in the proper strength, with the addition of Sulphur, another old-time scalp remedy.

This preparation gives youthful color and beauty to the hair, and is one of the best remedies you can use for dandruff, dry, feverish, itching scalp, and falling hair. Get a fifty-cent bottle from your druggist today, and you will be surprised at the quick results. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented. Agent Koch Pharmacy.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

"RINGLETT" BARRED ROCK
Cockerels for sale. These cockerels hatched from eggs direct from E. B. Thompson. Limited number, only. WILES BROS.

S. C. BUFF AND WHITE ORPINGTON Cockerels, Kel-larstrass strain, first and second prize Barred Rock cocks. See F. W. Olney, phone Bell 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, \$2 and \$3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.
MRS. C. H. RICE.
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TENOR IN WORKHOUSE

Derelict With Great Voice Sings Himself Out of Prison to Sick Wife.

By SONDAY NELLIM.

"The way of the transgressor—"
The cleric veered, with kindness
aforthought, and supplied a crumb of
comfort instead of censure.

"The way of the transgressor may
anon be bordered with roses of sweet
peace and solitude. The moments of
bygone days may drift back to you and
tide your souls heavenward. In your
hearts you are not bad. You have
perhaps sinned and your sins have
identified you. But that does not hold
you from aboutfacing to home and
loved ones, who still trust you. There
is good ahead. When you have paid
the county its penalty be sure you
show that sin's identity was not com-
plete."

It was song service day at the work-
house.

"Now," said the minister, "let's sing
that good old song, 'Bless'd Be the Tie
That Binds.' Everybody sing. Many
of you have good voices."

The little chapel organ began and
the leaders pitched the tune. Before
the second verse was reached the
chapel was filled with music. Then—

The visitors bent forward and scan-
ned the faces of the prisoners. A
voice somewhere among them rang
out in rich tenor, clear and clean as
a clarion call. It carried its notes as
might a super-chorister. The old song
echoed and re-echoed through the cell
halls, and the tenor led all the rest.

There was a voice that might have
drawn encore and encore from the
most fastidious and critical audience.
Yet it was among the prisoners. But
where?

The third verse was beginning when
the rapturous tenor was located. His
head was thrown back and his eyes,
beaming with some secret vision,



Looked Up Through the Bars to the Sky.

looked beyond the rafters. He was
singing the song of a feathered throat,
warbling and swelling, gliding and
dwelling. He was not aware that he
was being watched, that his song was
heard. Then he dropped his eyes, as
if drawn by the magnetic gaze of the
curious, and saw—

A note wafted over the room half
sung.

Next day music lovers went through
the workhouse looking for the man
"who sang tenor at the song service."
He was not found. The result was
the same as when, immediately fol-
lowing the song, they had rushed to
the superintendent to know the sing-
er's name. He himself had not locat-
ed the voice and did not know. They
went among the prisoners and asked.
No one seemed to know.

A singer like that unknown? A
voice that a critic had admirably as-
serted would rival a Caruso, was in
the workhouse, latent, unrequited and
timid beyond measure.

Could it be that a famous songster
had fallen?

The critic who had "discovered a
voice" would not be satisfied. He
imagined a beautiful mystery in the
singer's reticence. That he was a
prisoner was certain. He had been
seen. And he bore the prisoner's
label, although groomed for his day of
rest. Every man, at his work and in
the cells, had been questioned. The
singer had, somewhere among them,
answered, "I do not know him."

Then—happy thought—he could not
be identified because he was grimy
and soiled. He might be located an-
other Sunday, when he essayed clean-
liness. A singer like that must be
cleanly.

So they looked again at prisoner
after prisoner and into cell after cell.
In the last cell but one a man was
reading. They were walking noise-
lessly and he did not see them. It
was a song book he held. Then he
looked up, quietly slipping the book
back-up, on the bunk. He arose and
turned to the narrow window's bars.
Some one called to him. Apparently
he did not hear. They called again.
How they wished they had been able
to use his name. But how could they
know it?

"Step this way—you at the window
—we want to speak to you."

He started, as if undecided. They
knew he heard. Then very, very slowly
and timidly he came to them.

It was the tenor.

"What more do you want?"
It was not like the voice they had
anticipated. It was gruff and affected.
There was an infection of distrust.

The face had passed out of the
beauty it possessed when he sang. It
was marked by ineffectuality. Yet withal,
the external viciousness was pierced
by inherited touches of refinement
from beneath.

"Where did you get that voice—that
tenor?" one asked abruptly.

"Oh, I thought you had another war-
rant for me—when I get out. Is that
all you want? Honest?"

"We have no warrant for you. We
do not know anything about you. But
we want to know about yourself;
about that voice. We've come to
help you. That tenor has no place in
a workhouse."

"So that's why you watched me? I
didn't know. I asked the boys not to
let you find me."

"It's that voice—that voice. Tell
us, did you ever sing in opera?" a
critic put in.

"In opera? No. I haven't sung in
years—till that day. I guess I have
been too busy at the foam to sing. Is
that why you came?"

They had found a singer who had
not found himself. They led him to
talk.

"When I was a boy I used to sing
in Sunday school. A big fellow from
the church choir once told me that I
would be a great singer some day;
that I had a voice to be envied. But
I never tried. When I got grown I
followed the boys. I've been here be-
fore—after a while—and that day was
the first time I ever sang like a man.
The sky-guide somehow got on my
serves and made me forget. I have
been in this time fifty-five days. Just
not five now. I'm glad, too, for I'll
never be back. Worst time I could
have picked."

The singer paused and swallowed
hard.

"Wife's sick—God's best little wom-
an; little girl—my one best bet—she's
got diphtheria. I got to thinking when
the fellow said I was not bad, and
when he started the old song I had
to sing—till you saw me. I've got a
good voice? Do you know if it might
help—?"

"He stopped and turned back to the
little window. He looked up through
the bars to the sky and his face re-
mained some of that sunlight it had
when he sang. Then he faced about.
"If my baby can live—"

They stopped him before he could
make his pledge.

"You will be out tonight," said one
who seemed to know. "The mayor
will pardon you this afternoon. Sing
the sick ones back to health, then
come to me some day. I will tell you
something worth while."

The big tenor's face stared wonder-
ingly into the future.

They shook hands with him and
passed down the corridors. No one
spoke. But as they neared the end of
the cell rows they heard a song fol-
lowing, passing, leading them. It seemed
on its way to the former derelict home.

And as they passed out the groaning
gates the silvery tenor notes bore
to them the beatitude.

"Bless'd be the tie that binds."
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SCHOOL FOR THE SOLDIERS

German Empire Establishes Courses
That Young Men May Become
Skilled in Some Occupation.

In keeping with the German govern-
ment's idea of making the empire one
vast training school for the develop-
ment of the best there is in the youth
of the country for national commer-
cial success regular business school
courses are now being organized in
the German army, so that the recruit
during his term of military service
will be fitting himself for the business
life he will have to enter on quitting
the colors, says the Army and Navy
Journal.

The hundreds of thousands of chil-
dren are not permitted to pass through
the public schools and to drift through
life as unskilled laborers. Each one,
as far as the government can order it
so, is turned out skilled in some occu-
pation.

One of the most powerfully educa-
tive forces in the empire is the con-
tinuation school originally intended
to maintain some kind of discipline
over youths from fourteen to eighteen
years of age prior to their enlistment
in the army. Of late years these con-
tinuation schools have been changed
into vocational schools.

Twice every year great, flaming
posters call the youth of the land to
obligatory attendance at the trade and
commercial schools. These posters
enumerate more than 100 trades or vo-
cations and each youth is summoned
to appear at the school devoted to his
particular calling. Connected with
these schools have naturally grown
up actual workshops, where the pupils
handle real machinery and make com-
mercial articles.

No one who observes the almost
military precision with which all this
vast system is carried along to the ad-
vancement of the commercial success
of the nation can fail to associate it
with the impression made upon the
popular mind by service in the army,
and the student of sociology will not
fail to make a note of the fact that
this great method of training of the
youth of a country has had its origin
in the land which so many shallow
thinkers have said was cursed by a
militarism that was "crushing the
life out of the industrial forces of the
country and undermining the charac-
ter of the youth of the land."

An Ingenious Excuse.

Patron—What took you so long with
my eggs?
Waiter—Pardon the delay, sir; but
they were mislaid.—Judge.

Charity covers a multitude of sins
—but they are usually our own sins.

ALLIES THREATEN TO STOP PARLEY

Draft Note Explaining Why Peace
Conference Must Be Ended.

NOT ANXIOUS TO RESUME WAR

Plenipotentiaries of Balkan States
Debate Whether to Renew Hostil-
ities at Once or Delay and Later
Policy Wins—Rumania Is Feared.

London, Jan. 27.—The Balkan plen-
ipotentiaries who have received full
powers from their respective govern-
ments appointed a committee to draft
a note to the Turkish plenipotentiaries
explaining why the peace conference
must now be considered broken off. It
is hoped the draft will be ready for
approval by the full delegation to-
night.

This action of the allies is part of a
series of well considered forms of
pressure with which the Balkan dele-
gates hope to obtain their object with-
out resorting to the war.

The meeting lasted for an hour and
a half and the course to be followed
was given earnest consideration. Two
distinct views were manifested—one
for the immediate rupture of the ne-
gotiations leading to a resumption of
the war and the other favoring a tem-
porizing policy. In order to avoid ir-
revocable steps. The latter course tri-
umphed and a committee was appoint-
ed, consisting of one member from
each delegation.

Arguments Again Outlined.

General lines were laid down on
which the note is to be drafted, com-
prising the arguments already set
forth many times as to why the
league demands the surrender of Ad-
rianople and the Aegean Islands as an
indispensable condition to the conclu-
sion of peace.

That the policy of the allies is to
rain time is patent and does not de-
ceive anybody. The delegates decided
that the advantages to be derived
from the resumption of hostilities
would be in proportion to the risks
they ran and that they would not take
that step unless absolutely forced to
do so. It is realized that even a par-
tial reverse would have grave moral
and material consequences apart from
the loss of thousands of men.

In addition, the fact is not over-
looked that there is danger of Ru-
mania advancing from the rear and
of Austria imposing on Serbia and
Montenegro its conditions for remain-
ing neutral. The only disadvantage in
delaying decisive action is in keeping
large armies inactive and on a war
footing for a long time, thus heavily
taxing both the financial and agricul-
tural resources of the country.

RIOTING IN NEW YORK

Hotel Proprietors Angrily Refuse All
Waiters' Demands.

New York, Jan. 27.—Harassed by
continued disturbances at the doors
of their hostilities and restaurants
members of the hotel men's associa-
tion issued a defiant statement to the
several thousand waiters and hotel
workers on a strike, declaring there
could be no recognition of the union
and that they would not grant the
other demands of the waiters.

The managers called on Commis-
sioner Waldo for police protection
and the hotel district was patrolled
by extra squads of uniformed men and
detectives.

Nevertheless, disorders in front of
some of the larger hotels were of fre-
quent occurrence. Stones were used
freely by the disturbers and many ho-
tel windows were broken.

In front of the Holland house, on
Fifth avenue, a battle between strik-
ers and private detectives took place.
The former were worsted. In another
riot near the Waldorf-Astoria hotel
one policeman was hurt.

A number of arrests were made as
a result of the demonstrations in front
of the Vanderbilt, Belmont, Ritz-Car-
ton and other hotels.

TAFT DEFENDS POSITION

Says Arbitration of Panama Dispute
Is Not Dishonorable.

Baltimore, Jan. 27.—President Taft,
speaking at the annual banquet of
the Merchants' and Manufacturers' as-
sociation, defended the administra-
tion's attitude in the Panama canal
disagreement with England, declared
that its position was not unpatriotic
or dishonorable and asserted there
was no reason for anyone to oppose
the proposal for arbitration by an im-
partial tribunal.

One of Davidsons Guilty of Murder.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 27.—Otis
Davidson was found guilty of murder
in the first degree for the killing of
Miss Ella Barham, eighteen years of
age, at Pleasant Ridge last November.
The two brothers were jointly charged
in an indictment with assaulting the
young girl and then killing her with
an axe and feeding her dismembered
body to the hogs.

Trousers a Life Preserver.

Wichita, Kan., Jan. 27.—When
Charles Blakeman, a window washer,
fell from a third story window here
his trousers caught on the guy wire
of an electric sign and he alighted
uninjured. Blakeman landed on his
feet, but most of his trousers hung to
the wire. He returned to washing win-
dows.

Wanted, a Good Stomach.

MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets are guar-
anteed by the Orear-Henry Drug Co.
to end indigestion and give you a good
vigorous stomach, or money back.
They relieve after dinner distress in
five minutes. 50 cents.

MI-O-NA for belching of gas.

MI-O-NA for distress after eating.

MI-O-NA for foul breath.

MI-O-NA for loss of appetite.

MI-O-NA for heartburn.

MI-O-NA for sick headache.

MI-O-NA for night sweats.

MI-O-NA for bad dreams.

MI-O-NA after a banquet.

MI-O-NA for vomiting of pregnancy.

Makes rich, pure blood—puts vigor,
vim, vitality into the whole body.

Free trial treatment from Booth's
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HELD FOR BIGAMY

DR. JAMES E. NEELY OF ELMO ARRESTED ON CHARGE.

BOND ARRANGED AT \$500

Henry County Wife Also Has Suit for Wife Abandonment and an Alimony Judgment Against Doctor.

Dr. James E. Neely of Elmo was arrested Saturday and brought to Maryville on a charge of bigamy, the information being issued by Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright on behalf of Mrs. Nora A. Neely of Calhoun, Henry County, Mo. He gave bond Saturday night for \$500 and returned to his home in Elmo Sunday morning.

Dr. Neely, being under the impression that a divorce had been granted to his wife in Henry county, was married in Maryville in June, 1912, to Miss Bess K. Williams, who was his office girl. He gave his age as 41, and she hers as 27.

In August, 1912, Dr. Neely was arrested on a charge of wife abandonment, the information being issued by his first wife in Henry county. He gave bond for \$300 and the case has not yet come up for trial in Henry county. In this proceeding the first Mrs. Neely heard that her husband had remarried, and she took up the matter with Prosecuting Attorney Wright of this county and had him issue the information charging him with bigamy.

The case will come up at the February term of circuit court. This is the first bigamy case that has been tried here for a long time and will attract considerable interest.

According to Dr. Neely's story he saw in a paper published in Henry county, Missouri, a notice that his wife had gained a divorce from him. Taking this for granted, he said he commenced to pay attentions to his office girl, Miss Williams, whom he had known for sometime, and whom he afterward married. Now it seems that his wife in Henry county did not get a divorce, but secured temporary alimony from the doctor in the sum of about \$3,000.

Dr. Neely came to Nodaway county about a year and a half ago and located at Conception Junction. The first of August, 1912, he moved from the Junction to Elmo, where he has been since. He has a good practice at that town and community.

Dr. Neely married his first wife about twenty years ago, and lived with her until two years ago, when the latter Mrs. Neely appeared on the scene. He has two grown sons, one 19 years old and the other 17. They are with their mother.

When the charge of wife abandonment was issued against Dr. Neely it was his theory that the decree was revoked, and he surmises that the fact that the service in the suit was not gotten upon him personally might have been the cause. All of the doctor's property was attached soon after Mrs. Neely started her suit for divorce and alimony. She was granted temporary alimony of \$3,000, so Dr. Neely heard from a friend in Henry county.

SOLD 100,000 CIGARS.

Hutton's Cigar Factory Received Order Last Week for That Number From the Smith Drug Co.

W. J. Hutton, proprietor of the Hutton cigar factory of this city, sold last week to the Smith Drug Co. of St. Joseph 100,000 cigars, being the Lord Lobster and the Hutton's Hand Made. With such an order it will keep the factory here running at full blast for some time and will mean the addition of more cigar makers and more money in Maryville.

Mr. Smith, president of the Smith Drug Co., told Mr. Hutton that his cigars are the best repeaters of any cigar he has handled in years.

Here From Kansas City.

Mrs. H. E. Young of Kansas City arrived Friday night on account of the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, who is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Cloud.

Visiting Sick Sister.

Mrs. Lave Hagins went to Pickering Saturday to visit over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. L. N. Wray, who has been in poor health for some time.

Shipped Ten Car Loads.

A. O. Mason shipped ten car loads of cattle to Chicago Monday morning.

Latest Postcards
1 cent each at Crane's

DIED OF SPINAL MENINGITIS.

P. L. Murrin, Formerly of Maryville, Succumbed to That Disease Jan. 17, Near Bogata, Texas.

John M. Murrin of the Corwin-Murrin Clothing company returned Sunday morning from Bogata, Texas, where he was called by a telegram he received Saturday morning January 18, stating that his brother, P. L. Murrin, formerly of this city, had died there and would be buried that afternoon, and further stating that the body could not be shipped to Maryville. As no reason was given why the body could not be sent home, Mr. Murrin left at once to investigate the cause of his brother's death.

On arriving at Bogata, Mr. Murrin found that his brother had died of spinal meningitis and that the state law required that the body of a person dying with that disease should be buried two years before it could be removed to any other place, on account of the extreme contagious nature of the disease.

P. L. Murrin had been traveling for some time across the country by wagon for a St. Louis firm, carrying a full line of dry goods. On Wednesday evening, January 15, he stopped at a farm house several miles out of Bogata for the night, and complained of not feeling well. He arose the next morning with the family, and after breakfast told the man and his wife that he was feeling so badly that he believed he would return to bed if they did not care and not start out on his trip that day. He talked very little and seemed to want to be quiet. They asked him several times if he did not want to summon a physician, but he shook his head and said that he would be better soon. Friday morning he seemed so much worse that they called a physician from town, who arrived about thirty minutes before he died. The physician said that he had a very severe case of meningitis, and doubted if he could recover if he had had medical attention at once. He died without having given his name to the man in whose home he passed away, and his identity and family relationship was established by telegraphing.

The deceased was about 40 years of age and was the son of Owen Murrin of this city.

John Murrin speaks in the highest terms of the people of the Bogata community for the kindness and sympathy they extended him during the time he was there, disposing of his brother's business.

TO HAVE BIG TIME.

Many Events Will Be Held in Maryville During the Latter Part of April.

Maryville will have a big time during the latter part of April, as this will be the time for the rural community conference, the Northwest Teachers' association meeting, the declamatory contest, and the track meet, all events to be given under the direction of the Normal. The rural community conference will be held on Wednesday, April 23. The teachers' meeting and declamatory contest on Thursday and Friday, April 24 and 25, and the track meet on Saturday, April 26.

The events this year will be on a much bigger scale and promise to be attended by the biggest crowd in the city for some time.

DEATH AT PARNELL.

W. A. Brown Died Saturday Evening in Hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph—Funeral at Denver Tuesday.

W. A. Brown, an old resident of Parnell, died Saturday evening in hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph, where he was taken for the second time in November last.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at Denver. Mr. Brown would have been 65 years old the 25th day of the coming March. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Arthur Cook of Sheridan; Mrs. Frank McKee of Fayette, Mo.; Mrs. Dr. Lyach, living in New Mexico; Mrs. Beauchamp and Charles and Will Brown, living in California.

Occupied Pulpit at Barnard.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Carmichael, living east of Maryville, went to Bolckow Saturday evening to spend a few days with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanna, the two ladies being sisters. Rev. Carmichael filled the Methodist church pulpit at Barnard Sunday for Rev. W. E. Royston, who is in Oklahoma recuperating from his recent severe illness of sciatic rheumatism.

Miss Getha Conrad of Parnell returned home Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

LESS THAN NORMAL STANDS TO LOSE

TEMPERATURE LAST YEAR BELOW GENERAL AVERAGE. COUNTY MAY BE OUT \$1,339.05 ROAD FUND.

FEBRUARY SNOW GREAT ADVISES A JOINT SUIT

Weather Report For Year Has an Echo of the Hard Winter of 1911-12—Much Rainfall in May.

The annual meteorological summary for the year 1912 which was made out recently by Weather Observer J. R. Brink, shows that we had 29.05 inches of rain and had 52.5 inches of snow during the past year. We also had 230 clear days, 116 cloudy days, 20 partly cloudy days, and 73 days with precipitation. The lowest rainfall recorded was for January, when it was .15 and the highest was for May when it was 5.77 inches. The greatest snowfall was during February, when it totaled 30 inches, and in March, it was 20 inches. January had 1.5 inches of snow, and last December had one inch of snow.

The rainfall by the months for the past year follows:

January .15 of an inch; February 3.15 inches; March 2 inches; April 2.87 inches; May 5.77 inches; June 2.11 inches; July 1.17 inches; August 1.88 inches; September 4.35 inches; October 4.62 inches; November .58 of an inch; and December .59 of an inch.

The lowest temperature recorded during the past year, according to the summary, was on January 12, when it was 28 degrees below zero. The highest was on July 14, when it was 102 degrees.

The mean temperature by months follows: January, 9 degrees; February, 21.5; March, 26.5; April, 53; May, 67.1; June, 68.6; July, 79; August, 75.8; September, 64.4; October, 54.4; November, 42.4; December, 30.7. The mean or average temperature for the year was 49.4 degrees, which is 8 less than the general average or mean temperature.

The prevailing direction of the wind is south, at least so it was during the last year.

Tenant House Burned.

The tenant house on the farm of Mrs. Jeannette Carpenter, near Clearmont, occupied by Mr. Branson and his family, was burned to the ground Sunday. The house and contents were a total loss. Mr. Branson and his wife and little child were spending the day visiting and it was not known how the fire originated. The fire was not discovered by the neighbors until the residence was half burned.

Moving to Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey Kinney are moving their household goods this week to Acorn, Ark., where they will make their home. Mr. Kinney left several days ago and his family will join him there this week.

Returned From Iowa Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Branigan returned Saturday night from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Des Moines and Waterloo, Ia.

Ed Hanna of Trenton, Tenn., formerly of this place, was in the city Friday and Saturday visiting his sister, Mrs. Harry F. Whitney, and family.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., attended the basketball game at Cameron Saturday night between the Northwest Normals and the Wesleyan college teams.

Mrs. H. A. Norberry and son of Kansas City arrived Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Townsend and Mrs. E. T. Godsey.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—19,000. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow 6,000.
Hogs—52,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.60. Estimate tomorrow, 32,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—10,000. Market weak.
Hogs—8,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.32.
Sheep—10,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,200. Market weak.
Hogs—4,600. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.30.
Sheep—3,500. Market weak.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 25.—An investigation of the auditor's books at Jefferson City shows that there was due Nodaway county out of the automobile tax the following sums of money:

For the year 1911.....\$ 669.61
For the year 1912.....1,669.44

Total.....\$2,339.05

Paid to county in 1912 (Lee road).....\$1,000.00

Leaving a balance due Nodaway county.....1,339.05

Total.....\$2,339.05

This balance of \$1,339.05 due the county was not paid because no requisition was made previous to July 1st as the law requires.

The opinion of the attorney general is that this money now reverts to the general road fund of the state. If he is correct Nodaway county will secure but a small portion of it.

Senator Anderson Craig is of the opinion, from reading the statute, that this opinion may be wrong. As Gentry county has \$1,197.82 in the same condition, Senator Craig suggests that it might be well for the county courts of the two counties to join in a suit to test the matter.

Senator Craig says that this fund will be very much larger this year, but it is only available where permanent improvements are made, such as concrete culverts, grading and macadamized roads, cutting down hills, etc. During Mr. Craig's campaign for senatorship he discovered quite a strong sentiment for amending the automobile law, making the tax payable where the machine is owned. He thinks this cannot be done, because 90 per cent of the counties get very much more than they pay. St. Louis, St. Louis county and Jackson county pay half of the total.

Nodaway paid on 392 machines in 1912, \$1,560.00. Its receipts should have been \$1,669.44. Atchison paid on 272 machines \$1,068.99; Atchison received from the fund \$1,106.55. Gentry paid on 109 machines \$428.00; it should have received \$949.00.

Senator Craig says: "You will see from the above table that Nodaway county was entitled to \$109.44 more than it paid. Atchison county, \$38.55, while Gentry should have had \$421.10 more. This plainly shows what we would run against in any attempt to change the law, as a majority of the counties have fewer machines than Gentry."

POLK TO VOTE AGAIN.

Another Election Will Be Held Soon, When Bond Issue of \$50,000 for Good Roads Will Be Voted On.

A meeting of the county board of agriculture was held Monday afternoon in County Superintendent Oakerson's office, which was attended by C. D. Bellows, F. C. Conrad, Henry Moore, W. O. Garrett, Lawrence Ogden, Prof. Oakerson and Paul Sisson. It was decided to hold another election some time soon in Polk township to vote on the proposition of issuing \$50,000 bonds for the purpose of good roads. Petitions will be circulated soon, requesting the court to set aside an election date. The election will probably be held in March.

At the election held Saturday, December 21, the bond issue lost only by a small vote, and it is thought that if it is re-submitted it will carry by a big vote.

Monroe township is to vote on a \$15,000 bond issue for good roads on Saturday, February 8.

To Build a New Residence.

A deal was closed Saturday whereby Thomas J. Parle traded his residence property on East Thompson street for two residence lots of O. L. Holmes, on West First street next to John Graham's property. Mr. Parle will build a new residence on these lots this spring.

Guest From Pattonsburg.

Miss Ruth Keplar of Pattonsburg, a former Normal student, arrived in Maryville Saturday night to be the guest of Misses Maude and Grace DeMotte, on West Seventh street.

NOISY CROWD WELCOMES THEM.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Clair Andrews, Married in Maryville Last Week, Had Warm Reception at Trenton.

Miss Fannie Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Andrews of this city, and D. Clair Andrews of Trenton, who were married in Maryville last Thursday afternoon, received a warm reception upon their arrival at their home in Trenton on Thursday night.

The Trenton Daily Republican had the following in Friday's issue:

Over thirty friends were at the Rock Island station last night, when No. 12 pulled in to welcome Mr. and Mrs. D. Clair Andrews to the city. They were married yesterday. As they came from the train a storm of rice and ringing sleigh bells greeted them. The Farmers' store force had a horseless buggy waiting and the young couple were hustled into it and started on a journey through the business section by the young men pulling the vehicle. They were followed by a crowd of the groom's friends carrying bells and signal fuses.

There was no little noise—all were yelling and the Junior quartet brought up the rear of the procession singing "Oh, You Beautiful Doll," and as they dwelt upon "I Could Never Live Without You," Mrs. Andrews was left with the fellow clerks of her new husband while he was escorted to the Elks club where the crowd that had been augmented along the streets was welcomed. After the married man produced the cigars (he had plenty of them) and the quartet had favored the good natured revelers with some selections in the club rooms the spread on the long tables of the suit room at the Farmers' store was the finishing of a noisy and demonstrative welcome to the newly-weds.

Mr. Andrews has been in Trenton a little over a year, and during this period has been in the carpet department of the Farmers' store. He has made many friends in Trenton, and each of these friends extends a warm welcome to Mrs. Andrews and heartily congratulates both of them. The young couple met about six years ago when Mr. Andrews was employed in Maryville. They are now at home to their friends at 1420 Chestnut street, where they will reside with the groom's mother, Mrs. Anna Andrews.

DEATH OF REUBEN HARRIS.

Quitman's Oldest Resident Died Near Mound City Friday Evening.

Reuben Harris, the oldest resident of Quitman, died Friday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Watkins, near Mound City, after a long illness caused by paralysis. The funeral services were held at the Watkins home Sunday afternoon, and the body was brought to Quitman for burial Monday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Mr. Harris was born September 11, 1837, near Nashville, Tenn. He came to Missouri with his parents in his early boyhood days, and has lived near Quitman ever since. On March 6, 1857, he was married to Elizabeth Brown, a Kentuckian. To this union were born six children, two of whom are living, who are: Mrs. John Watkins of Mound City, and Mrs. Melinda Barnes of Kansas City. About fifteen years ago he joined the M. E. church, South, at Quitman, and had been a faithful member since.

Mr. Harris was in the civil war and fought in the battles of Lexington and Blue Hills under General Price. He had served as constable of Green township for about fourteen years, and performed his duty faithfully and tried to make everything peaceable. He was stricken with apoplexy March 9, 1912.

MANY TO BE HERE.

Over 100 Will Be in Maryville From the Outside Counties to Attend Short Course Week.

Many farmers from nearby counties are to be in Maryville during short course week, the second week in February. So far over 100 have promised to attend. With the attendance from Nodaway county and those from the outside counties in this Normal district the course promises to be the best ever given by the state agricultural college.

The Normal will provide two big lecture rooms for the course and will also provide a demonstrating and experiment room.

To Have New Church.

Conception Junction is to have a new Catholic church that will probably cost \$7,000. The church will be of brick and will be modern in every way. Work on it will probably be commenced in the early spring.

MAY USE OUR BAND

MISS NASH AND HER GIRLS MAY TAKE PART IN PARADE.

FOR VOTES FOR WOMEN

Correspondence Indicates Missouri Ladies Band Will Enter Suffragette Demonstration in Real Ernest.

It is possible that the Missouri Ladies Military band of Maryville, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, its organizer and director, will have the honor of a place in the suffragette parade and demonstration to be given in Washington, D. C., on the afternoon of March 3, preceding the inauguration of President-Elect Wilson, on March 4.

A week ago the girls of the Maryville band were attracted by an article in the Kansas City Times, which told in details of the gathering that would be held in Washington on that day by the National Suffrage association, which will make the supreme effort in its votes for women campaign.

On being constantly urged by the girls of her band, Miss Nash sent a telegram to Mrs. Claudius N. Stone, wife of Congressman Stone of Illinois, who has charge of the work of organizing the state's delegations, and has already promised 48 of them. Mrs. Stone sent the telegram to Elizabeth I. Kent of Washington, chairman of the committee on bands, who has responded with the following letter which was received by Miss Nash Monday morning:

Dear Madam: As I am chairman of the committee on bands, Mrs. Stone has sent me your telegram. We should be delighted to have a ladies band in our parade, and I have heard of several to whom I have been writing.

Your band is the only one which professes an interest in suffrage, and is willing to come for expenses to Washington. I fear the railroad fare will be more than we can afford, but I am going to look up the special rates for the inauguration time, and if it is possible for us to pay them, and if I do not have an acceptance from a woman's band in Philadelphia, can wire you and see if we can make an arrangement.

Your message interests me very much. Thanking you for sending it.

Sincerely yours,
ELIZABETH I. KENT,
Chairman Committee on Bands,
January 25.

NORMAL DEFEATED.

Wesleyan College at Cameron Won by A Score of 44 to 29.

Wesleyan 44, Normal 29, was the sad but true outcome of the basketball game Saturday night at Cameron. Saturday night's contest was the third for the locals in as many nights, and they were in no physical condition to cope with the rough style of the Methodists. Captain Vandersloot played the best game for the Normals. Vam got six field goals. The locals' line-up follows: Vandersloot and Daise, forwards; Perrin, center; McChintoch and Taylor, guards; Woodward and Quinn, substitutes.

Next Friday night Wesleyan will play a return game at the Normal gymnasium, and the locals expect to "do things" to them.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

WOULD YOU LIKE MY OPINION? I will give it to you willingly, FREE OF CHARGE.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce
F. S. GRUNDY
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

Adolph C. Koch of Harrold, S. D., the Heryford cattle man, is visiting in Maryville with his father, Dr. C. D. Koch.

Misses Marie and Bernice Russell, State Normal students, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McMaster of Hopkins visited in Maryville Friday and Saturday.

J. Arthur Wray and son, Walter Wray, went to St. Joseph Monday on business.

Miss Beatrice Smith of King City is visiting Miss Gertrude VanMeter of Barnard.

Miss Mamie Sullivan spent Saturday and Sunday in Clyde with her parents.

Mrs. Anna Stauble went to Pickering Saturday to visit Miss Pearl Craven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall of Hopkins were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Warlick of Guilford was in Maryville Saturday.

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Peach, Strawberry, Red Raspberry, Black Raspberry, Gooseberry, Apricot, Black Currant, Red Cherry, Pear, Tomato, Plum, Quince.

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March 1st.

Vitagraph special in three reels.

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March 10th.

KERRY GOW
March 14th.

Three reels. Produced in Ireland by the Kalem Co.

THE STOLEN SYMPHONY
March 21st.

Two reels, featuring Arthur Johnson.

Admission 10c.

Odd Greek Superstition.
The belief, illustrated in the ballad of The Bridge of Arta, that a human victim is required to insure the stability of a bridge or building survives in Greece today, J. A. Lawson says.

There is no murder now. It suffices to obtain, preferably from an enemy or an old person, a hair, nail paring, shred of clothing, old shoe or a thread or stick marked with the person's height or footprint measure, and bury these beneath the foundation stone. The victim dies within a year, but the building is safe.

Even a shadow will do. Mr. Lawson was himself dragged back by a friend in Santorini so that his shadow might not fall across such a fatal spot; and the mayor of Agrinlan told him that his four predecessors had all died from letting their shadows fall on foundation stones laid by them.

Gentle Reprimand.

As a young woman attired in a neat blue suit entered a street car a man his head buried in a newspaper, arose and offered his seat. With a curt nod the young woman accepted, and as soon as she had composed herself she became interested in the contents of her shopping bag. In spite of his apparent abstraction, the man with the newspaper watched her for a moment. Then, speaking hurriedly, he said:

"I beg your pardon, what is it—what did you say?"

The young woman lifted her eyes, and, seeing that she was addressed, answered coolly: "I said nothing, sir."

"Beg pardon, beg pardon," was the absent-minded answer. "I thought you said 'Thank you.'"—Milwaukee Free Press.

Obituary

The funeral services of Mrs. Margaret Beggs Todd, who died on Friday morning at 1:49 o'clock, at her home in Guilford, were held at the Southern Methodist church in Guilford on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. S. E. Hoover. Burial took place in the Graves cemetery. The pallbearers were all among the oldest settlers of Guilford and Washington township and were John W. Brittain, Joseph Skidmore, Jacob Breit, Millard Ellis, C. D. Hocker and Samuel Aldridge. The services were largely attended.

Margaret Beggs was born in Antrim county, Ireland, August 17, 1828 and was of Scotch-Irish ancestry. Her parents' names were John and Elizabeth Houston Beggs. At the age of 15 years she, with her parents, emigrated to America and settled in Dearborn county, Indiana. On May 25, 1845, she was united in marriage to Hugh Todd.

In the fall of 1856 she, with her husband, came to Missouri and located one-half mile south of Old Guilford, where she resided for many years. Afterward the family moved to the village nearby, where for 28 years she resided. In 1909 she moved to Guilford, where she resided until her death, which came on January 24, 1913. On August 23, 1898, she suffered the loss of her husband. To them were given seven children. One died in infancy, one daughter, Louisa, died in 1875, and James, who died January 31, 1907. The living children are Mrs. Ann Skidmore, Mrs. Sarah Carver and Lewis C. Todd of Guilford, and Mrs. Mary Floyd of Boileau. There are seventeen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Of her father's family there remain to mourn her death one brother, William Beggs, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Whiteford and Mrs. Jane Todd of Guilford, and Mrs. Eliza Walton of Harveyville, Kan. Three brothers, John, Thomas and George Beggs, and one sister, Mrs. Agnes Craig, have preceded her.

On February 25, 1894, she was converted and united with the M. E. church, South, of Guilford, of which she remained a faithful member until death transferred her from the church militant to the church triumphant. Sister Todd reached the ripe old age of 84 years, 5 months and 7 days.

REV. S. E. HOOVER.

DRUGGIST RECOMMENDS

Vinol for Run-Down People.

If any one person should know the value of medicines it is the druggist who dispenses them, and from our experience we want to say if people in this vicinity only knew the value of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic (without oil) at this season of the year, we would not be able to supply the demand.

This is because Vinol is a combination of the two most world famed tonics, namely, the medicinal curative elements of cod's livers without the oil and iron for the blood.

Vinol tones up the digestive organs, purifies and enriches the blood, promotes healthful sleep and a normal appetite.

Old people, delicate children, run-down, overworked and tired women should try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

To Meet Tuesday Evening.

The Eastern Star will hold their regular lodge meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic hall.

For Kansas City Guest.

Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., will entertain Monday evening and Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. S. S. McClure of Kansas City.

Meeting Place Changed.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, who was to have entertained the Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon, the meeting will be held at the Elks club.

Morning Euchre Party.

Mrs. George B. Baker gave an informal euchre party Monday morning complimentary to her niece, Miss Mary Campbell of Kansas City. Miss Campbell returned to her home Monday evening.

Back From Their Honeymoon.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McLeod returned Monday noon from their wedding trip of a month through points in Florida and Oklahoma, and they are at the home of Mrs. MacLeod's mother, Mrs. A. R. Perrin. They will be at home after February 15 in the flats of the M. E. church, South.

Students Had Social.

The students of the Normal and many of the faculty had a social in the library of the Normal building Saturday evening. There were 125 present, and after playing games, athletics were indulged in the boys' gymnasium. These students' socials are a regular feature of the school.

Somerset Party at Parnell.

Dr. and Mrs. Egbert Crowson of Parnell entertained at Somerset Friday night. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breit, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Roof, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones. A nice luncheon was served.

Will Attend Wedding.

Mrs. Anthony Bluel and Mr. Joseph Kern went to Clyde Monday to attend the wedding on Tuesday morning of Miss Rosa Schwabach to Mr. Frowin Kern, which will take place Tuesday morning in the new Engelberg church at Conception. Mr. Kern is a brother of Joseph Kern, and a cousin of Mr. Bluel.

Entertained Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Egbert Crowson of Parnell entertained the Embroidery club Thursday afternoon with luncheon after the work hour. The members present were Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. H. O. Gray, Mrs. Everett Bailey, Mrs. S. B. Moody, Mrs. C. V. Roof, Mrs. John O'Day, Mrs. Ben Jones, Mrs. Fred Breit, Mrs. C. C. Evans, Mrs. E. S. Klaas, Mrs. W. N. Morgan, Mrs. Noble Klaas.

Played "The Noble Outcast."

The Ready Helpers, the class taught by Mrs. Thomas Cook in the Christian church Bible school at Barnard, gave a play Saturday night at the church entitled "The Noble Outcast," that was a complete success. The parts were taken as follows:

Colonel Lee.....Walter Hagan
Mrs. Lee.....Blanche Holliday
Frances Lee.....Bertha Blagg
Jack Worthington.....Glen Mahaffey
James Blackburn.....George Rasco
The Servant.....Jessie Goforth
Jerry Weston, the Outcast.....Elmer Watson

Entertained the Country Club.

Mrs. Lillie Shelton, 209 West Second street, entertained several members of the Country club with a week-end house party. The members of the club are all friends and former neighbors of Mrs. Shelton, when she resided on her farm, west of Maryville. A delightful evening was spent in a social way and a luncheon was served. The guests attended services at the First M. E. church Sunday morning with their hostess. They were Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mrs. J. C. White, Mrs. W. A. White, Mrs. J. J. Knabb and Miss Clydell White. The party at dinner Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb and Miss Clydell White.

Their 13th Wedding Anniversary.

About thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGrew, living six miles west of Barnard, gathered at their home Friday, with no invitation whatever from their host and hostess, and brought every sort of good thing to eat, and about 12:30 o'clock spread a regular feast in celebration of Mr. and Mrs. McGrew's wedding anniversary.

Robinson's

Mammoth Poland-Chinas

At Auction Sale

Maryville, Missouri,
Wednesday, January 29, 1913
At Gray's Sale Pavilion.

Fifty Bred Sows and Gilts, Two tried Boars, Twenty pigs of fall of 1912 farrow.

These sows and gilts are the big all over kind, and 16 of them are daughters and granddaughters of Pawnee Pete, the 1,000 pound boar I exhibited at the Maryville street fair last fall. Many others carry his blood. The fall pigs nearly all carry his blood lines. Sows are in fine breeding condition, and most of them bred for early litters. Catalogue now ready.

Remember the date--Wednesday, Jan. 29

F. P. ROBINSON

R. P. Hosmer,
Auctioneer.

Maryville,
Missouri.

The surprise was as complete as could have been desired and everybody had a most enjoyable time all afternoon playing various games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Goff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nic Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Brint McGrew and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fannan and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Goff, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Goff and Miss Rena Goff.

Celebrated Golden Wedding.

Miss Margaret Tobin of Burlington Junction was in Maryville Monday morning on her way to her school work in the Benton high school of St. Joseph, having spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tobin, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary that day. Mr. and Mrs. Tobin were married at Callon, County Kilkenny, Ireland, and came to Nodaway county twenty-eight years ago and settled on the farm they now occupy.

Reception for Mrs. Lawrence.

The reception in the parlors of the First Christian church Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City by the C. W. B. M. and the Young Ladies' Mission Circle was largely attended. The ladies in the receiving line were Mrs. James B. Robinson, who presented Mrs. Lawrence; Mrs. Claud J. Miller, Mrs. Henry Westfall, president of the C. W. B. M., and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, president of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle. After the arrival of the guests a program was given. Mrs. Henry Westfall introduced Mrs. Lawrence after the musical program, and the ladies of both societies were inspired to renewed effort by the earnest words of the wife of their former pastor. She urged them to be more earnest and consecrated in their work, and showed them that their lives were on a much higher plane while thus engaged than anything else that could employ their time, either socially or intellectually. The musical numbers consisted of two songs, "Little one A-Crying," by Speaks, and "Thy Deep Blue Eyes, Sweet Violets," by San Souci, by Mrs. F. P. Robinson; also Miss Marie Reuillard sang "A June Morning" and "I Once Had a Sweet Little Doll, Dear," by Nevin, and two numbers by Mrs. Harry Todd, "Love in Spring Time," by Arditi, and "Japanese Love Song," by Thomas. After the program a luncheon of nut bread sandwiches, cake and coffee was served by Mrs. G. L. Wil-

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Visitor From St. Paul.

Mrs. M. M. Shuffelbarger of St. Paul, Minn., formerly of Maryville is visiting her relatives at Ravenwood.

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Cudahy's Finest Sugar Cured Regular Hams, 10 to 12 lbs., per lb., 15c; cut in halves, per lb., 15c
50 lbs. Cabbage for stock, 50c
No. 1 Apples, bushel, 75c
No. 1 Red Onions, bushel, 65c
Fine Lettuce, bunch, 5c
Pure Rock Candy, worth 25c, 15c
2 dozen Bananas for stock, 25c
Peck California Navel Oranges, 50c; gallon for stock, 25c
500 lbs. new Brazil Nuts, 10c
Fresh Shredded Coconut, 2 lbs. 35c; 3 lbs. for stock, 50c
Quart cans Michigan Spiced Pickled Peaches for stock, 20c
"Rose Dale," our finest Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, in 50 per cent syrup, goods worth 25c to 30c, per can, 17c; 3 for 50c; dozen for \$1.90; case for stock, \$3.75
Same quality, same brand, crushed in juice, can, 16c; 3 cans for 45c; dozen cans for \$1.75; case for stock, \$3.40
We have 200 dozen of these and will sell all you wish.

New 1913 Packed Salt Fish and Cod. 8-lb. pails (net weight) Lake Fish 65c
10-lb. pails Lake Fish for stock, 75c
20-lb. pails Lake Fish for stock, \$1.30
Holland Herring, genuine Milchner's, per keg, 85c
40 dozen pkgs 10c White Rolled Oats, 2 for 15c; 4 for, 25c
15c pkgs Mother's Cream of Wheat, 2 for 25c; 4 for, 45c
10c pkgs Corn Flakes, 10c, or 3 for 25c
Spring Chickens, frying size, lb., 15c
* Bran and Shorts on track at
* Burlington depot, at 14th week.
* 49 sacks best quality, 100 lbs net weight in each sack.
* Bran, per sack, \$1.00
* Shorts, per sack, \$1.10

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SEEK REDEMPTION
OF WHITE SLAVESJohn D. Rockefeller, Jr., Explains
Purposes of Bureau.

EXPERT STUDY OF PROBLEM.

George J. Kneeland, Who Directed Chicago Vice Inquiry, and Abraham Flexner, Medical Examiner, Preparing Reports.

New York, Jan. 27.—Among the foremost men of the country who have given serious and critical consideration of the social evil with a view toward a humane and scientific abatement is John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Ever since he sat as foreman of the grand jury in New York about two years ago Mr. Rockefeller has been keenly interested in discovering a sensible plan for curtailing the white slave traffic. He was largely instrumental, both financially and personally, in the organization of the bureau of social hygiene, started with the deep and earnest purpose of thoroughly investigating the present conditions of the social evil and of eradicating them in so far as possible. Mr. Rockefeller now makes public the following interesting and important statement as to the origin, work and plans of the bureau:

"The bureau of social hygiene came into existence about two years ago as a result of the work of the special grand jury appointed to investigate the white slave traffic in New York city, which served during the first half of the year 1910. One of the recommendations made by it in the presentment handed up at the termination of its labors was that a public commission be appointed to study the social evil. The foreman of that body subsequently gave careful consideration of the character of the work which might properly be done by such a commission and the limitations under which it would operate.

"So the conviction grew that in order to make a real and lasting improvement in conditions a permanent organization should be created, the continuation of which would not be dependent upon a temporary wave of reform nor upon the life of any man or group of men, but which would be on, generation after generation, continuously making warfare against the forces of evil.

Members of the Bureau.

"Therefore, as the initial step, in the winter of 1911 the bureau of social hygiene was formed. Its present members are Miss Katherine Bement Davis, superintendent of New York State Reformatory for Women at Bedford Hills, N. Y.; Paul M. Warburg of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.; Starr J. Murphy of the New York bar; and Joan D. Rockefeller, Jr. As the work develops new members may be added.

"One of the first things undertaken by the bureau was the establishment at Bedford Hills, adjacent to the reformatory, of a laboratory of social hygiene under Miss Davis' direction. In this laboratory it is proposed to study from the physical, mental, social and moral side each person committed to the reformatory.

"Arrangements were made, therefore, in the early part of last winter to secure the services of George J. Kneeland, who had directed the Chicago vice commission investigation. Since that time Mr. Kneeland, with a corps of assistants, has been making a thorough and comprehensive survey of the conditions of vice in New York city.

"At the same time the bureau was fortunate in securing the services of Abraham Flexner, whose reports on the medical schools in this country and in Europe are so well known, to study the social evil and the various methods of dealing with it in the leading cities of Europe.

"Based upon all of these studies, which will probably be published by December of this year, it is the hope of the bureau that there may be devised a practical plan for dealing with the social evil in New York city, a plan which public opinion can be brought to support."

THREE FIREMEN KILLED

Elks' Building at East St. Louis Destroyed by Fire.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Three firemen perished in a fire which destroyed the Elks' building in East St. Louis.

The dead: Lieutenant John Connors, Fred Ford, pipeman; Joe Cornies, pipeman.

The men were the first to enter the burning building and a moment after they had carried a line of hose across the threshold the first floor collapsed, dropping them into the basement.

Lights Cigarette and Dies.

Hattonville, Okla., Jan. 27.—A desire to smoke a cigarette led to the death of Clarence Moss. After lighting the cigarette in a grocery, he threw the match down near a gasoline tank. An explosion took place and Moss was burned so seriously that he died a few hours later.

Bomb Explodes in Boy's Hands.

New York, Jan. 27.—A bomb exploded while in possession of a twelve-year-old boy in a street in the east side. It tore off one of the child's hands, stunned him, smashed scores of windows and precipitated a panic in which one man was trampled under foot and injured.

NEW TURK LEADERS.

Enver Bey and Mahmud
Shefkhet Pasha, Who Now
Control Constantinople.

SEVEN SCOUTS SLAIN
IN FIGHT WITH MOROSGeneral Pershing Reports Battle
at Taglitai, Mindanao

Manila, Jan. 27.—A wireless dispatch from Brigadier General John J. Pershing, commanding the Department of Mindanao, gives details of an engagement at Taglitai between Moros and detachments of Philippine scouts and the constabulary.

Captain Patrick McNally and six enlisted men of the scouts were killed. Lieutenant William Townsend of the scouts and Lieutenants Gochrun and Whitney of the constabulary and nineteen enlisted men were wounded. The wounds of both Townsend and Gochrun are serious.

GEN. SICKLES FACES ARREST

Must Pay Monument Fund Shortage or Go to Jail.

New York, Jan. 27.—Sheriff Harburger said that he would execute the order for General Daniel E. Sickles' arrest today unless the money for which he has failed to account, it is charged, as chairman of the New York monuments commission, is paid before the sheriff's deputies reach the Sickles home.

The sheriff believed, however, that friends of General Sickles would furnish bail and that the alternative of placing the old soldier in Ludlow jail would not be enforced.

A movement to raise by subscription the amount of the general's alleged indebtedness and relieve the aged civil war veteran from all possibility of going to jail was started by William Schner. Mr. Schner initiated the fund with a subscription of \$100, to which Sheriff Harburger added an equal amount.

Gunboat Wheeling Reaches Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, Jan. 27.—The United States gunboat Wheeling, which was ordered to Vera Cruz by the American government because of reports of alarming conditions in this section, arrived here from Tampa. Official visits will be exchanged today, but it is certain that the reception of the Americans will be cold, as Mexicans are not particularly pleased at the visit of an American warship. At present the situation in and around Vera Cruz is quiet.

Body of Sea Fighter Laid to Rest.

Annapolis, Jan. 27.—With simple, but impressive ceremonies the body of John Paul Jones, first admiral of the American navy, was placed in its final resting place in the new crypt under the naval academy chapel. Secretary of the Navy Meyer, French Ambassador Jusserand and Governor Goldsborough were among those present.

Siberian Wolves Win Race.

Nome, Alaska, Jan. 27.—The Solomon derby for dog teams from Nome to Solomon and return, sixty-five miles over the snow trail, was won by John Johnson, driving a team of Siberian wolves, in six hours and one and one-half minutes. Oliver Blanchford, driving a team of Missouri bird hounds, was second.

PREPARING FOR
EXTRA SESSION

Congressional Committees Rapidly Pushing Work.

SOON TO WRITE TARIFF BILLS

Hearings by Committee Come to an End This Week—Philippine and Currency Problems on Program—Fight on Appointments Ripe.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Although the scope of the legislation to be taken up at the approaching extra session of congress has not yet been outlined, congressional committees rapidly are pushing their preliminary work to a point where recommendations can be made to President elect Wilson and plans laid before him for the early work of his administration. Work on tariff bills soon will be started, the hearings reaching an end this week.

The money trust end of the house banking and currency committee already is working on a report, while the currency branch of the same committee will push its investigation this week into other branches of the currency question in the effort to secure comprehensive suggestions for currency reform.

Two Pressing Questions.

Senate and house leaders do not know what legislation, if any, in addition to the work of tariff revision will be taken up at the extra session. Several of those who have talked with Governor Wilson express the confident belief that the currency question and the question of liberating the Philippines will be included in the new president's scheme of action for his first congressional session.

It is the general opinion in Democratic circles in Washington that President Wilson will at least not "foreclose" congress against acting on everything but the tariff in the special session.

An effort is under way by some Democratic senators to postpone action on currency reform until the next regular session and it is expected that a movement will be promoted to secure an extension of the present Aldrich-Vreeland emergency currency law for at least a year, so that an emergency measure still will be at hand in case of industrial or financial disturbances.

The full extent of the fight between the Republican and Democratic factions in the senate over President Taft's appointments is expected to develop this week.

Tariff Hearings Near.

The tariff hearings covering the fourteen schedules of the present law along with the free list and miscellaneous articles and general administrative provisions will come to a close with the end of this week. The wool schedule, perhaps the most formidable of all, from the tariff makers' standpoint, was taken up today with prospects for a lively session and plenty of arguments from wool growers, manufacturers, importers and clothiers.

The National Association of Growers and Manufacturers is expected to appear in force to fight for retention of the present tariff.

The importance of the schedule is shown by the average of 60 per cent ad valorem as a barrier for protection of the big woolen industry of this country.

NATIONAL HEALTH BUREAU

Medical Trust Idea Refuted by President Elect Wilson.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 27.—President elect Wilson addressed a private gathering of prominent social workers at the home of Mrs. Caroline B. Alexander, where he and his family were guests. In a statement given out by Mrs. Alexander, setting forth Governor Wilson's remarks, he is quoted as declaring that in forwarding the movement for a national bureau of health it was desired to remove the impression that the government expected to set up a "medical trust."

The governor is reported as having said that there was no intention to put any school of medicine in charge of national health projects, but that all schools of medicine should work in harmony on the question of sanitation, which he considered most important.

Several speeches were made embracing immigration, child labor, prison contract labor, workmen's compensation and industrial relations.

Railroads Willing to Arbitrate.

New York, Jan. 27.—Reiteration of their willingness to submit to arbitration the demands of their locomotive firemen for increased wages and better working conditions is contained in a statement issued on behalf of fifty-four eastern railroads. The 30,000 members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen employed by these roads are taking a strike vote.

Julia Marlowe Taken Ill.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—Miss Julia Marlowe, who is playing with E. H. Sothern in Shakespearean repertory, was stricken with ptomaine poisoning, but, although ill, fulfilled her engagement in this city. Physicians insisted that she rest until fully recovered. An understudy will play her parts temporarily.

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W. B. Finn, owner of the jewelry store and optical stock on South Main street, made an assignment Saturday, with F. P. Robinson as trustee. The property and stock of goods will be sold for the benefit of creditors.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.—Advertisement.

Being Held for Investigation.

Sheriff Ed Wallace brought a tramp to the jail Monday and will hold the man for a few days for investigation. He picked him up in Clearmont.

SEED CORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winners for this fall and winter. Price \$2.25 and \$2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

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FEED—About 200 bu. of good corn, 300 bu. of oats, about 12 or 14 tons of hay in barn and in stack. Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. 1 wagon with wood and also low iron wheels, 1 cultivator, 1 Carter wire fence machine, 1 hog rack, about 175 Leghorn hens.

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